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**NORTH HOOSICK**

Miss Nora Kearns of Bennington  
spent Sunday with Miss Lillian Wash-  
ington.

Mrs. Ralph Roys of Schenectady is  
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
John Brown.

Mrs. William Fairburn spent a few  
days recently in Mechanicville as the  
guest of friends.

Miss Flossie Luke spent Sunday in  
White Creek as the guest of her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Luke.

Frederick and Forrest Luke of No.  
White Creek spent Sunday as the  
guests of their sister, Mrs. Fred Weir.

Mrs. James Flynn entertained an  
auto party from Ballston Spa, con-  
sisting of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Scott,  
Miss Foote and Mrs. Harris, Sunday.

Robert Kelly has returned to his  
home in North Adams after spending a  
week with relatives and friends in  
town.

**Indiana Man's Experience**

Frank Moseley, Moore's Hill, Ind.,  
writes: "I was troubled with almost  
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kidneys. I got a package of Foley  
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hours all pain left me." If you have  
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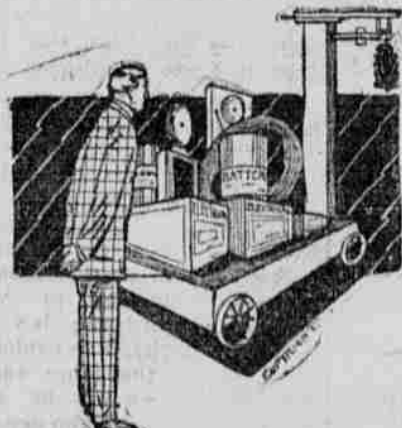
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Except during the years when we  
play professional baseball in this neck  
of the woods, North Adams is admit-  
tedly a larger town than Bennington.  
While we steadfastly refuse to concede  
that the Tunnel City ever "had any-  
thing on" Bennington so far as the na-  
tional game is concerned we are ready  
to acknowledge that the Western Gate-  
way to the Berkshires can "put it all  
over" us when it comes to police court  
records. On the morning after Mem-  
orial day twenty-two offenders were  
hailed before the bar of Justice in  
North Adams while in Bennington one  
lone case of plain drunk was heard be-  
fore Municipal Judge E. H. Holden.

Thirty-two divorce cases on the  
docket of a county court that is sup-  
posed to transact the legal business of  
about twenty-two thousand inhabi-  
tants is certainly an indication that  
the attitude of the people of a staid  
old state like Vermont toward the  
binding quality of the marriage tie is  
undergoing a radical change. Within  
the past four or five years the number  
of divorce cases on the dockets of Ben-  
nington county court has been grow-  
ing steadily and rapidly. The reflec-  
tion such a record casts upon the com-  
munity at large, if one considers it to  
be such, carries an influence far be-  
yond the limited surface presented by  
the applicants themselves and for this  
reason the search for the solution of  
the problem presented by increasing  
divorce must be carried to a greater  
depth. The subject has been discus-  
sed at most of the conventions held by  
the different church organizations  
during the past few weeks but the  
arguments advanced and the conclu-  
sions reached presented little or noth-  
ing that was new. For years the  
churches have endeavored to check  
the tide of increasing divorce without  
apparently accomplishing the desired  
result, and it would seem that what-  
ever effort were put forth for this pur-  
pose in the future should be directed  
toward correcting the influences which  
bring about the desire for a breaking  
of the marital bond.

### DANGERS OF A COLD

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Many bad cases of kidney trouble re-  
sult from a cold or chill. Congested  
kidneys fall behind in filtering the poi-  
son-laden blood and backache, head-  
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action follow. Don't neglect a cold.  
Use Doan's Kidney Pills at the first  
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across my kidneys, which was particu-  
larly severe when I stooped or exerted  
myself. I did not rest well, and  
whenever I caught cold, it settled in  
my kidneys, making the trouble more  
severe. Doan's Kidney Pills acted  
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entirely closed, deafness is the result, and  
unless the inflammation can be taken out  
and this tube restored to its normal condi-  
tion, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine  
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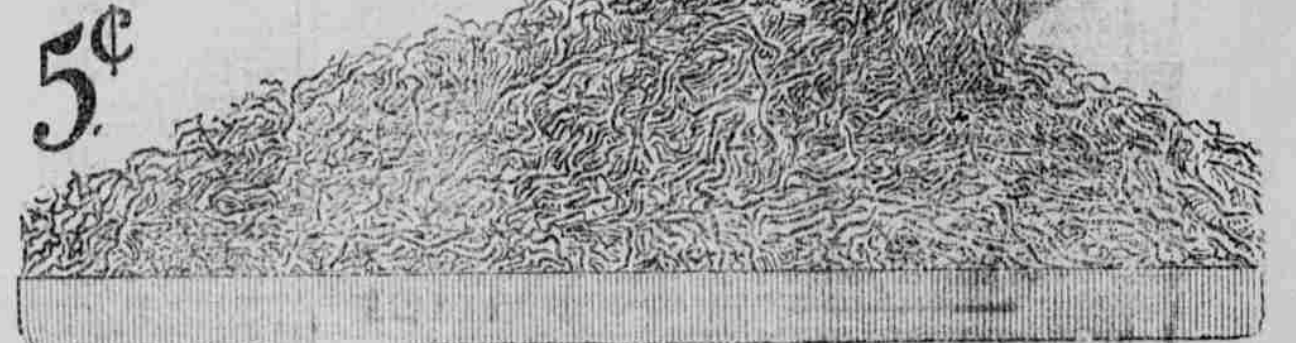
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### SHAFTSBURY VALLEY

Mrs. Adelbert Woodward was a Ben-  
nington visitor Friday.

Miss Cora Potter closed her school at  
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Miss Mabel Quirkbank of Salem is  
a guest of Miss Eva Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Fillmore were  
in Bennington on business recently.

Harrison Millington and friends en-  
joyed an outing at Lake Lauderdale  
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howard of White  
Creek called on friends in the Valley  
Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Shortt and daughter,  
Elizabeth were Hoosick Falls visitors  
recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Estes of Benning-  
ton were guests at the home of F. W.  
Fuller Sunday.

Mrs. Jared Howard spent several  
days in Troy last week, returning  
home Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Pike, Episcopal rector of  
Hoosick Falls enjoyed the day fishing  
in the Valley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cone and fam-  
ily of North Bennington visited at  
James Boupion's Sunday.

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full force of men are improving the  
roads in this section this week.

Miss Ethel Boupion, who has been  
spending several days at her home,  
returned to her school in Troy  
Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Hayford of  
White Creek were entertained at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Peacock  
Friday.

George Brown of Hinsdillville and  
son Frank of Bliss Business college,  
North Adams, enjoyed a fishing trip in  
the Valley Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harrington  
of Green Mountain Valley were week  
end guests at the home of their parents  
Mr. and Mrs. James Boupion.

Mrs. William Allard of Bennington  
and Mrs. R. B. Young and daughter,  
Hazel of Hoosick Falls were visitors  
at the home of Edward Boupion Mem-  
orial Day.

The Valley school will give an en-  
tertainment at the school house Sat-  
urday evening, June 3rd under the sup-  
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